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 For Presidential Elector.....**ALLEN G. MCBRIDE**
 For United States Senator.....**SAMUEL PLATT**
 For Representative in Congress.....**E. E. ROBERTS**
 For Justice of the Supreme Court.....**T. F. (BARNEY) MORAN**
 For Clerk of Supreme Court.....**R. A. MCKAY**
 For Long Term University Regent.....**J. P. ABEL**
 For Long Term University Regent.....**B. F. CURLER**
 For Short Term University Regent.....**EDNA BAKER**

A REQUEST FROM THE HIRED MAN

IN the temporary absence of Mr. Booth from the print shop, the hired man begs to inquire of the editor's friends if they could, in the spirit of the friendship they have so often expressed, vote to place on the supreme bench the fellow who bent all his energies and spent thousands of dollars of the taxpayers' money for personal spite to send him to jail, to subject him to ignominy, to bear the heavy expense he had to incur, when all Mr. Booth was trying to do was to save the people of Nye county from the extravagance of administration, the expenditure of needless money, the tremendous "overhead" under which this county was being conducted? The hired man asks every friend of Mr. Booth, no matter what his or her politics, to cast the ballot for a most estimable man, a most honorable citizen, a most efficient judge, Hon. T. F. (Barney) Moran.

POSSESSES BOTH NEEDED QUALIFICATIONS

SINCE the office of clerk of the supreme court was established it has been filled by people of hitherto various walks of life, usually chosen for their political activities rather than fitness for the position. There are two qualifications that are almost indispensable for this office and it is not of record that any of the previous incumbents were possessed of either. One is being an expert stenographer and the other is having knowledge of the law. R. A. McKay, the Republican candidate, possesses both. Otherwise he would be compelled to buy his knowledge at the expense of the state, as his predecessors have done, in the employment of deputies, while the chief official had simply supervisory duties. It will be along the lines of both efficiency and economy to elect Mr. McKay to this position.

GREAT INDEPENDENCE DAILY FOR HUGHES

IN a copy of the Chicago News which arrived on the Bonanza's exchange desk today there appears a remarkable editorial. In part it follows:

"Certain characteristics of this remarkable chief executive of the nation, characteristics clearly revealed by his official course, have led him into actions that appear to the Daily News to be subversive of popular government and even the foundations of public order and safety. Therefore it believes that the interests of the republic require the retirement of Mr. Wilson from the presidency at the end of his present term of office. In the opinion of the Daily News the safety of the nation and the integrity of its institutions cannot wisely be entrusted to President Wilson for another term."

The important feature of this editorial utterance is that it comes from an independent newspaper, one that is absolutely non-partisan and devoted simply to public welfare. It is a power in the land and any attitude that it may take on a public question is the cue to many hundreds of thousands of voters, for the Chicago News has established its reputation for integrity and patriotism.

KEEP THE DOLLARS AT HOME

"DOLLARS for Home Trade," is the official slogan for the City of Reno and for the region round about, as adopted by the Reno Commercial Club. Good 'eess to it! Let's apply the slogan to Tonopah. Make the people buy at home, by making it more attractive. Let the stores establish some sort of a credit basis whereby they can protect themselves and at the same time give their customers every advantage, and let them advertise their wares and terms. At present there is too much of a scheduling of prices to make the bad pay get advantage from the good pay. One store has two prices, one for cash and another for credit. That is good so far as it goes, but it does not go far enough. Another store that has been in operation since pioneer days has \$60,000 on its books. That is bad and it went too far. There should be some sort of a credit association formed among the merchants for self protection and for the protection of the customers. The money that is earned in Tonopah should be kept at home. This can be done by establishing a scale of prices and carrying a line of goods that will both appeal. People who are drawing their pay checks every tenth ought to be able to make settlements at that time. People who are not working and are worthy should have reasonable credit allowed and the merchants' association should endeavor to place them in positions. It is an intricate problem, but it could be worked out with organization, and, if it is, then the dollars will go to the home trade.

BWARE OF THE IDES OF NOVEMBER

THERE was such a demand for last evening's Bonanza that the forms had to be put to press a second time. Requests for papers came by personal application at the office, by messenger boy and by telephone. There certainly was a deadly bomb exploded last evening in the Balliet statement. Some rotten politics are being done by our friends, the enemy, in this campaign, but the worst thus

far has been the futile attempt to blacken the reputation of the Republican candidate for sheriff and assessor.

And, by the way, did Frank Dunn sign that dispatch to Des Moines, Iowa? If he did, he sailed under false colors, endeavoring to give the impression that he was a federal officer. If he did not sign it, nor authorize his signature, two Democratic politicians are guilty of forgery. It is a smelly mixup and one that should be taken to the criminal courts or a goodly sum sued for in reparation.

Why couldn't this campaign be decently conducted? At least, it should be kept away from the odor of criminality. Mr. Balliet is making the most forward and frank campaign of any man on any ticket. He had already, even before there had been allegation or insinuation, made full statement of the White Swan case, and the telegrams received after the Dunn message and the Woodburn dispatch had been sent east show how he stands in his home town. Let crooked politicians beware of the Ides of November.

AN UNAMERICAN SPIRIT

WOODROW WILSON is on record against the men and women who come to this country every year seeking to better their social condition and to improve their industrial standing. The remarks will apply to a majority of the citizens of today whose ancestors, not so very long ago, either, were numbered among the much despised hyphenates. If it had not been for the hyphenates the United States would be in bad shape. It is to the hyphenates of Spanish origin that the southern country was first developed, to the French that Louisiana, Mississippi, Illinois and the southern section of Missouri came into the most intense industrial development. The French-Canadians opened Minnesota, Michigan, Alaska and Wisconsin, while the Germans with their immense brewing industries placed two of the largest western cities on the map of the world.

President Wilson wrote a book entitled "The History of the American People," and in commenting on the Chinese exclusion act in volume 5, page 213, he says:

The Chinese were more to be desired as workmen, if not as citizens, than most of the coarse crew that came crowding in every year at the eastern ports.

While on this subject it might be well to inquire what the president meant by "this coarse crew." There is no mistaking the reference, which will open the minds of some of the Slavonian citizens of Tonopah, for the president himself undertakes to explain exactly what he meant by the reflections, for we find on reference to the preceding page of the same volume, or page 212, volume 5, that he is particular to save his readers from any misunderstanding of the facts when he states:

But now there came multitudes of men of the lowest class from the south of Italy and men of meaner sort out of Hungary and Poland, men out of the ranks where there was neither skill nor energy, nor any initiative or quick intelligence.

Is this what he has been taught is the freedom and liberty of the United States guaranteed all nations and all classes who seek to better their condition and provide a competency for their families by coming to America?

Rumania's army would not object very much to an eight hour day at present, we reckon.—Houston Post.

Grand Duke Nicholas is to be recalled from the Caucasus to direct the Rumanian campaign, and it looks as if he had better hurry if he wants to find any campaign to direct.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

THE STROLLER

BY L. B. (LETSON) BALLIET

For some years I have occasionally written short articles for publication in various papers under this head. Some have been intended to amuse, and some to make the readers think. Never are they intended to offend. Friendship comes from kindness, and I think I have many friends among the readers of this paper, and I hope to make more. If my views differ from yours, I grant you the right to your views just as freely as I claim the right to my own. If your politics differ from mine, you have every right to your own convictions, the same as I have to mine, and I will still be your friend, without regard to politics, religion, race, color, nationality or occupation. I shall pay for this space at advertising rates and thus be sure it will not be crowded out by more important matter.

DIRTY POLITICS AND HIGH TAXES

Mr. Dunn, candidate for district attorney, in his own circular, soliciting votes, says of the district attorney's office: "DO YOU REALIZE THIS, that such an officer * * * should be free from entanglements of all kinds, being able to deal with individuals * * * free from bias and prejudice of any kind?" "I believe that I am able to show you an open book with a clean, honest and fair record."

In those very lines he condemns himself. Do you think it was a "clean, honest and fair record" for him to stoop to the dirty work of trying to "get dope" upon the candidate for sheriff and assessor upon the opposite ticket, by using his official position for political purposes, signing a misleading title as "Chief Deputy District Attorney" instead of "Deputy County Attorney" when wiring to a United States court? The United States court would naturally suppose that he was a United States Deputy District Attorney—for a deputy county attorney could have no business nor right to demand United States records.

I should call this "false pretenses" and misuse of official capacity, for political purposes, against a man who had not said one word against him, nor had any interest in his personal campaign. It simply shows "machine politicians' handiwork," all working to keep the machine together that is strangling the life blood out of the taxpayers.

In the square dealing west, dirty politics are condemned, and Mr. Slavin, as well as Mr. Dunn, should be shown that Nye county will not stand for dirty work, by an overwhelming defeat. The man who has been so cowardly attacked should be entitled to your unanimous support.

Hundreds have come to me and said: "I'm for you now, Balliet, because men who will employ dirty methods to get into office will employ dirty methods after they get elected."

I appeal to the citizens for fair play. As an example of the results of high taxation saddled upon the taxpayers: A prominent rancher had a buyer who was willing to buy his ranch and cattle. The buyer came

from Idaho, and the deal was closed, except one question, "What are your taxes?" When he was told, he said, "The deal is off. I don't want the property at all; the taxes will eat me up." He explained that an election was coming up and was told, "If you elect Mr. Balliet I'll come back and buy your ranch," and there all negotiations ended, with the remark that "If you elect any other candidate for assessor, I'm done. Good bye."

A taxpayer in Tonopah with a business block bringing in \$350 to \$400 a month rent (about \$4000 a year), tried to sell his property for \$12,000 (three years' rent equals \$12,000), and was offered only \$3500 for it, because taxes were so high that he was told, "It is cheaper for me to rent your building for \$4000 a year than to pay taxes on it." Every taxpayer is in the same position—his property has no value with these excessive taxes. If you elect me as assessor, so that I can plan the assessments with the commissioners, your taxes will be reduced and your property values will increase.

Vote for your own interest, by voting for
LETSON BALLIET,
 The People's Candidate for
 Sheriff and Assessor.

DEUTSCHLAND COMING ON ITS SECOND TRIP

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The Deutschland submarine merchantman, it is believed in quarters that should know, is now on its second voyage to the United States. Knowledge of the date here of its departure from Germany is disclaimed. It is said that in the future all German submarines coming to the United States, whether naval or merchantmen, will make either Newport or New London their port of call.

Try a small adlet in the Bonanza.

ADDITIONAL TEACHER IS TO BE EMPLOYED

MISS WASHBURN WILL CARE FOR PRIMARY GRADE OVERFLOW

For some time past the local board of education has been carefully considering the best method of handling the overcrowded condition of the first primary grades. The enrollment in the two rooms has been 110 and, with children of this age, it is impossible for two teachers to handle any such number. Temporarily, some 60 of the children have been placed on a half-day schedule, such as is done in Goldfield and many other places. As a number of the children were a few months under six years of age when school opened, it was thought that this plan would be of no material detriment for a few months. However, the board has now decided to add another teacher for these grades and the new teacher will begin her work immediately after the Christmas vacation. It was determined to employ for this position a teacher who not only is well qualified by preparation and experience for the primary work required, but who can, in the limited time at her disposal, assist somewhat in the art work required in the court of study. Miss Stella Washburn was elected to the new position. Miss Washburn is a graduate of the four year course in the Nebraska state normal school at Peru. She has had a number of years' successful experience in modern city school systems and comes well recommended. She is teaching at present in the schools of Bonners Ferry, Idaho, but has the promise of an honorable release from her contract with the board at that place.

LIST OF WINNERS OF PRIZES AT THE FAIR

In order to avoid all confusion and misunderstanding about the prizes won at St. Patrick's church fair, here is the list of the lucky winners:

Piano scarf, donated by Mrs. J. Grant, won by W. Roach.
 K. C. pillow, won by D. J. Kennedy.
 Doll with basket, won by Miss E. Fother.
 Ton of coal, won by Mr. S. Ford.
 Cord of wood, won by Mr. Roger Stenson.
 Sack of flour, won by Miss Vivian Lyons.
 Fancy table, won by M. M. Buckleley.
 Comforter, won by J. C. Thompson.
 Pillow and scarf set, won by Mr. Clem Hertel.
 Desk, won by Mr. P. Kerns.
 Pillow (butterfly), won by Mr. Tait.
 Doll, donated by Mrs. M. Harrington, won by Mr. Peter Seaberg, No. 116.

The above list is the only one correct. Everything else said or printed about those prizes is not according to my books. Rev. J. Dias, pastor.

LIVESTOCK SHIPMENTS CARRY SAME OLD RATE

ONLY DECREASE IS IN THE MATTER OF EXCESS VALUATIONS

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Freight rates on livestock in carloads from Nevada, Utah and Oregon to San Francisco and Oakland were upheld by the Interstate commerce commission. The commission decided that under the new tariffs there will be no increase in rate, but there will be a decrease in charges for excess valuations. The charge complained of was "one of practice, and not of tariff provision."

MRS. W. T. CUDDY returned this morning from Wisconsin, where she visited relatives in her old home.

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FOR ASSEMBLYMEN:

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A. S. PUTNEY

A. B. PERKINS

R. E. (Bob) RICHARD

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